

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS OF THE STATE OF IOWA**

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**IN THE MATTER OF THE STATEMENT OF CHARGES AGAINST**

**JOHN C. BARKER, M.D., RESPONDENT**

**No. 02-99-647**

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**STATEMENT OF CHARGES,**

**SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT and FINAL ORDER  
(combined)**

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**COMES NOW** the Iowa Board of Medical Examiners (the Board), and John C. Barker, M.D. (Respondent), on December 16, 1999, and pursuant to Iowa Code sections 17A.10(2) and 272C.3(4), enter into the following combined Statement of Charges, Settlement Agreement and Final Order.

**STATEMENT OF CHARGES**

1. Respondent was issued license number 18157 to practice medicine and surgery in Iowa on July 10, 1970.
2. Respondent's Iowa medical license is current and will next expire on June 1, 2000.
3. The Board has jurisdiction in this matter pursuant to Iowa Code Chapters 147, 148 and 272C.

## **COUNT I**

4. Respondent is charged under 653 IAC section 12.4(35) with violating the terms of an impaired physician recovery contract entered into with the Board's Impaired Physician Review Committee (IPRC).

## **CIRCUMSTANCES**

5. On September 28, 1999, Respondent voluntarily terminated his employment and offered to surrender his Iowa medical license.

6. On or about September 28, 1999, the Board received information from the IPRC alleging Respondent was in violation of the terms of his IPRC recovery contract.

## **SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT**

7. This combined Statement of Charges, Settlement Agreement and Final Order constitutes the resolution of a contested case proceeding.

8. Respondent does not contest the allegations contained in the Statement of Charges.

9. Immediately upon the Board's approval of this Settlement Agreement, Respondent voluntarily surrenders his Iowa medical license.

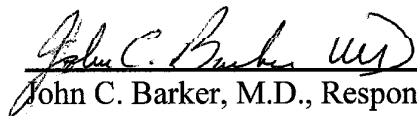
10. By entering into this combined Statement of Charges, Settlement Agreement and Final Order, Respondent voluntarily waives any rights to a contested case hearing on the allegations contained in the Statement of Charges, and waives any objections to the terms of this Settlement Agreement.

11. This combined Statement of Charges, Settlement Agreement and Final Order, is voluntarily submitted by Respondent to the Board for consideration.

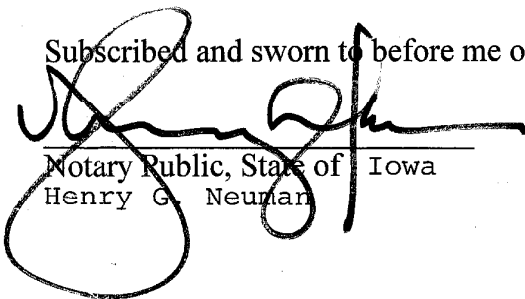
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13. The Board's approval of this Settlement Agreement and Final Order shall constitute a **Final Order** of the Board.

If you have any questions regarding this matter please contact Kent M. Nebel, J.D., Director of Compliance, at 515-281-7088.

  
John C. Barker, M.D., Respondent

Subscribed and sworn to before me on December 15, 1999.

  
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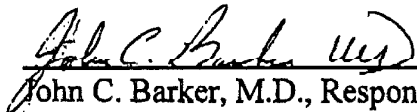
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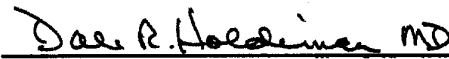
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